I rely on captioned tv for all my tv viewing. Generally, the captioning is quite accurate. I appreciate the fact that so many programs today are captioned but still experience some frustration occasionally when programs are not captioned. As for emergency information, I can speak of a recent experience with a swarm of tornadoes that went through Wisconsin, some within miles of my home. While the crawl along the bottom of the tv screen alerted me to the tornado warning in my county, I would not have known any of the vital specific information as to exact location, etc., except for my hearing husband. I've only recently married and was happy that I did not have to rely on my neighbor, who in the past has watched out for me, since I found out later she wasn't home. I look forward to these emergency broadcasts being captioned.